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SUBJECT: ROMANIAN INTEREST IN BURUNDI MINERALS

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1. ROMANIAN VICE MINISTER OF MINES CONFIRMED IN INTERVIEW
REPORTED IN GRB INFORMATION BULLETIN OF DEC 06 THAT
MAIN

PURPOSE HIS DELEGATIONS'S CURRENT VISIT IS TO
INVESTIGATE MINERAL DEVELOPMENT PROSPECTS IN BURUNDI.
SAID ROMANIA WANTED TO CONTRIBUTE TO DEVELOPMENT OF
BURUNDI'S NICKEL DEPOSITS, VALUE OF WHICH (HE IS ALSO
QUOTED AS SAYING) MIGHT BE DOUBLED BY FULLY EXPLOITING
THEIR OTHER MINERAL CONTENTS. IN ADDITION, ROMANIA
INTERESTED IN EXPLORATION FOR AND EVENTUAL EXPLOITATION
OF COPPER, PETROLEUM, KAOLIN, AND GOLD IN BURUNDI

2. COMMENT ROMANINA GOVERNMENT MAY HAVE BEEN ALERTED
TO BURUNDI MINERAL PROSPECTS BY ROMANIAN WHO
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HAS PLAYED PROMINENT ROLE ON UNDP MINERALS RESEARCH
TEAM. ROMANIAN CAPABILITY EXPLOIT NICKEL DEPOSIT IF
LATTER'S MAGNITUDE BORNE OUT BY FURTHER UNDP STUDIES
IS BEING QUESTION ED BY SOME KNOWLEDGEABLE SOURCES
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